Eland Family Cottage Rules

Cape of Good Hope Section of Table Mountain National Park

1. Please take note that you are entering The Table Mountain National Park and are subject to the conditions set in the National Environmental Management: Protected Areas Act (57/2003).

2. We ask that all guests manage their activities to retain the quiet and peaceful ambiance of the site and the Park.

3. Although a cleaning service is provided, we ask guests to respect the environment, keep the site clean and wash their own dishes.

4. Baboons frequent the area and can be dangerous. Baboons should not be fed or disturbed in any way. Please keep all doors and windows closed for your own safety.

5. No Security Guard patrols around this unit at night.

6. Leave footprints and take only pictures.

7. Emergency number 021 780 9100 and 086 110 6417.

8. Please report all fires and emergencies without delay.

9. In the unlikely event of an emergency please take note of the emergency evacuation plan posted in the lounge area. Staff will assist all guests during the emergency.

10. If any abuse or deliberate damage of SANParks property occurs the client will be expected to pay for the losses.

11. Check-in time for accommodation is from

14h00 to 17h00 in winter (Apr to Sept) and 
14h00 to 18h00 in summer (Oct to March)

and accommodation must please be vacated before 10h00. Keys to be handed in at the Buffelsfontein visitor Centre on day of departure by 10h30.

12. Keys to be collected at the Buffelsfontein Visitor's Centre before 17h00 in winter and 18h00 in summer on day of arrival. You will be asked to produce proof of reservation prior to the keys being handed over. Please have this available on arrival. Buffelsfontein Visitor Centre is located about 13.5 kilometres into the park from the gate.

13. Please note that we can only accept cash on arrival for the payment of the luggage and any outstanding accommodation fees.

14. No late entry/ check in after the park operating hours. Should you arrive after the closure of the check in time as listed above you will be obliged to find accommodation elsewhere and will not be entitled to a refund.
15. All members of the party need to arrive at the same time.

16. No guests will be allowed to drive through the park after sunset.

17. No day visitors / guests are allowed at any of the accommodation.

18. All Guests are required to pay a daily conservation fee, per person, per day for the whole duration of their stay. If you have a valid Wild Card the persons that are loaded onto the Wild Card as members do not have to pay the daily conservation fees. Please note that the My Green Card cannot be used in lieu of daily conservation fees when using Table Mountain National Park accommodation. Entrance fees are not included in the accommodation price. Note Conservation fees increase annually on the 1st of November. You will be asked to produce proof of reservation on entry so have it handy to avoid delays.

19. Bookings: can be made at the Buffelsfontein Visitor Centre at 021 780 9204 during office hours Monday to Fridays 09H00 to 16H00 or through 021 712 7471 Mondays to Fridays 08h00 to 16h00.

20. Advertised Prices are subject to change without prior notice.

21. Gate Operating Times: May change without notice. Please check prior to arrival (for example Covid time changes)
   - Summer - 1 October to 31 March - 06h00 to 18h00
   - Winter - 1 April to 30 September - 07h00 to 17h00
   - Proof of payment/confirmation must be provided to the gate official upon entry

22. Alcohol Consumption is at your own discretion; however disorderly behaviour will not be tolerated.

23. Loud music and parties are not permitted. The area is within a National Park and there are wild animals and other visitors to consider.

**Accommodation:**

- Self-catering accommodation: Max of six persons per night.
- All linen provided.
- Kitchen with all utensils.
- Although the site has electricity we are reliant on our supply thereof from Eskom. We do not have a generator for Eland and Duiker and we request you bring a torch or head light to assist you moving around for the hour or two the power may be off at night.
- Three rooms - main bedroom with queen bed, one room with two ¾ beds in each, one room with bunk bed.
- Open-plan kitchen with dining area.
- Built in stoep area with jet master (Eland Cottage only).
- Bathroom with bath and separate toilet.
• Veranda area

• Regrettably no wood is allowed in the Park due to the Polyphagous Shot Hole Borer Beetle. We ask that all guests bring charcoal along to braai with. Regrettably we do not supply matches or charcoal.

Things to do in the area: Visit the Cape Point Lighthouse and download the audio guide off [http://capepoint.co.za/free-cape-point-audio-tour/](http://capepoint.co.za/free-cape-point-audio-tour/)

- Enjoy a meal at the Two Oceans Restaurant
- Take a trip in the funicular (additional cost)
- Walk the board walk from Cape Point to the Cape of Good Hope Sign
- Watch the surfers at Platboom Beach
- Take a dip in the Tidal Pool at Buffels Bay or Bordjiesrif
- Potter through the touch and feel section of the visitor centre at Buffelsfontein
- Stroll along the beach and view some of the many shipwrecks which dot this coastline.
- Hike through the reserve along any of the hiking trails
- Lie on the beach and watch the endangered oystercatcher move along the shoreline
- Look for pelagic birds from the viewpoint at the lighthouse through your binoculars
- Meander along the shore looking in the hundreds of rock pools especially good is the area around Bordjiesrif Tidal Pool

• Lastly note the unit is on Eskom power and we may experience intermittent load shedding. Regrettably the unit will be without power during these periods as we do not have a generator

Thank you

Table Mountain National Park Management Team